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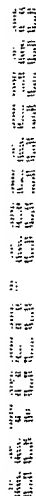
Re: New U.S. Patent Application
Title: RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- a. Application - 28 pages, including 5 independent claims and 22 claims total.
- b. Drawings - 10 sheet(s) of formal drawings for figures 1-16.
- c. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- d. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Sun Microsystems, Inc.
- e. Information Disclosure Statement, PT0 1449 with 4 documents.
- f. Claim for Priority with Certified Copy of EPO Application No. 98401393.8.
- g. A check for \$992.00 representing a \$760.00 filing fee, \$192.00 for additional claims, and \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.

Applicant claims the right to priority based on European Patent Application No. 98401393.8 filed June 10, 1998.



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